

**THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL OF TANZANIA
A SAMPLE OF PRIMARY SCHOOL LEAVING EXAMINATION**

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ENGLISH LANGUAGE

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE INVIGILATOR

Make sure you read the following **before giving instructions** to the candidates:

- (i) Make sure you read the passage **loudly** and **slowly** for the first time while observing all punctuation marks indicated in the passage. When reading **for the second time**, increase the reading speed.
- (ii) The time which will be taken to read the passage for the candidates is **five (05) minutes** and the time for the candidates to respond to the questions is **five (05) minutes**. Therefore, this part will be done in **ten (10) minutes**.
- (iii) When reading the story, make sure that candidates do not open the question paper.
- (iv) Read **loudly** the candidates' instructions (1 to 4).

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

- 1. I will read the passage twice; therefore, you are required to listen attentively.
- 2. When I will be reading a story, make sure that your question paper is not opened.
- 3. When I read the passage for the first time, listen without responding to the questions and when I finish reading for the second time, answer question 1, item (i) to (v), and then continue to answer the rest of the questions (2 to 7).
- 4. I am starting to read the passage now, therefore, listen attentively.

PASSAGE

Uadilifu was sick. His aunt took him to a nearby hospital. When they reached at the hospital, his aunt asked the nurse if they could see the doctor. The nurse told them to wait. After waiting for a long time, Uadilifu's aunt requested the nurse to allow them to see the doctor as Uadilifu's condition was getting worse and he could not wait any longer. The nurse said that the doctor needed a bribe in order to serve them.

After hearing this, Uadilifu's aunt called the police who sent a detective. A trap was set and the corrupt doctor was caught red handed. The doctor was finally dismissed from work and jailed for a long time. He suffered in prison and his family lacked their basic needs. Corruption is an evil that needs to be rid of as it deprives people of their basic rights.